

New Combinations required for the Flora of Central  
Eastern United States

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While preparing the Flora of Central Eastern United States (Maryland, Delaware, Virginia and West Virginia, including the District of Columbia), it has become necessary to provide the following new nomenclatural changes and new combinations.

Aristolochiaceae

1. Endodeca serpentaria var. hastata (Nutt.) Reed, comb. nov.  
Based on Aristolochia hastata Nutt., Gen. Amer. 2: 200. 1818.

Polygonaceae

2. Bilderdyckia cilinodis var. laevigata (Fern.) Reed, comb. nov.  
Based on Polygonum cilinode var. laevigatum Fern., Rhodora 16: 166. 1914.
3. Bilderdyckia scandens var. cristata (Engelm. & Gray) Reed, comb. nov. Based on Polygonum cristatum Engelm. & Gray, Boston Journ. Nat. Hist. 5: 259. 1847.
4. Persicaria pensylvanica var. dura (Stanford) Reed, comb. nov.  
Based on Polygonum pensylvanicum var. durum Stanford, Rhodora 27: 178, 180. 1925.
5. Persicaria hydropiperoides var. euronotorum (Fern.) Reed, comb. nov. Based on Polygonum hydropiperoides var. euronotorum Fern., Rhodora 47: 137. 1945.
6. Persicaria hydropiperoides var. breviciliata (Fern.) Reed, comb. nov. Based on Polygonum hydropiperoides var. breviciliatum Fern., Rhodora 42: 448. 1940.
7. Persicaria setacea var. interjecta (Fern.) Reed, comb. nov.  
Based on Polygonum setaceum var. interjectum Fern., Rhodora 40: 414. 1938.
8. Persicaria setacea var. tonsa (Fern.) Reed, comb. nov. Based on Polygonum setaceum var. tonsum Fern., Rhodora 40: 414. 1938.
9. Persicaria ruderalis (Salisb.) Reed, comb. nov. Based on Polygonum ruderale Salisb., Prodr. 259. 1796. Syn.: Polygonum persicaria L., 1753; Persicaria vulgaris Webb & Moq. ex Webb & Berth., 1841.
10. Persicaria ruderalis forma angustifolia (Beckh.) Reed, comb. nov. Based on Polygonum persicaria forma angustifolium Beckh., Fl. Westf., 173. 1893.
11. Tracaulon sagittatum var. gracilentum (Fern.) Reed, comb. nov.  
Based on Polygonum sagittatum var. gracilentum Fern., Rhodora 44: 393. 1942.

## Salicaceae

12. Salix exigua forma wheeleri (Rowlee) Reed, comb. nov. Based on Salix interior var. wheeleri Rowlee, Bull. Torr. Bot. Club 27: 253. 1900.
13. Salix exigua var. exterior (Fern.) Reed, comb. nov. Based on Salix interior var. exterior Fern., Rhodora 48: 38. 1946.

## Oxalidaceae

14. Oxalis stricta forma cymosa (Small) Reed, comb. nov. Based on Oxalis cymosa Small, Bull. Torr. Bot. Club, 23: 267. 1897.
15. Oxalis stricta forma villicaulis (Wieg.) Reed, comb. nov. Based on Oxalis europaea forma villicaulis Wieg., Rhodora 27: 135. 1925.

## Addendum:

## Polygonaceae

16. Persicaria ruderalis var. vulgaris (Meisn.) Reed, comb. nov. Based on Polygonum persicaria (a) vulgare Meisn., Monogr. Gen. Polygon. Prodr., 68. 1826. Syn.: Polygonum persicaria L., 1753; Persicaria persicaria (L.) Small, 1903; Persicaria vulgaris Webb & Moq. in Webb & Berth., 1841.

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